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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/280,618

Filing Date: March 29, 1999

Applicant: Mahdi S. CHAMBERS

Group Art Unit: 2663

Examiner: Keith M. George

Title: DESTINATION CALL ROUTING APPARATUS AND METHOD

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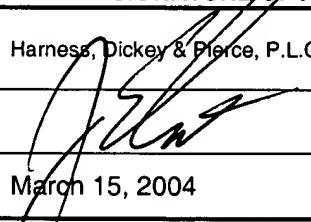
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